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Kill 39 Rebels in Inhambane

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[Text] The Mozambican armed forces yesterday killed 39 of the South Africa's MNR terrorists in two separate operations in Mozambique's southern Inhambane Province. This was disclosed today by the Mozambican armed forces general staff.

Thirty-three terrorists were liquidated when the bandits tried to advance in direction of the Malova district in the province. In this operation, the Mozambican armed forces captured 13 rifles and a 60-mm mortar. The other six terrorists died when a group of bandits was advancing toward a settlement about 200 km from Inhambane city.